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Sir:

RESPONSE AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

In response to the Office Action dated December 19, 2006, the period for response to which runs through March 19, 2007, reconsideration and withdrawal of the outstanding rejections are respectfully requested in light of the following remarks: